Frederick County Commission on Aging

Strategic Plan 2009 – 2013

Mission: The Commission shall carry out advisory functions that further the Frederick County Department of Aging's mission of developing and coordinating community-based systems of service for all older persons in Frederick County. Further, the Commission shall advise the Board of County Commissioners and the Frederick County Department of Aging on all matters relating to the needs, development and administration of services and operations.

Goal: The Commission is to serve as an advisory group to the Frederick County community.

Objective 1: Annually present an update to the Frederick County Board of County Commissioners.

Objective 2: Present program specific information to Board of County Commissioners as needed.

Objective 3: Meet with municipal and community leaders bi-annually.

Objective 4: Participate in community events (health fairs, elder expo, fairs, etc)

Goal: Identify senior's needs and requests for services and programs

Objective 1: Support a needs assessment to be completed by 2010 through the Frederick County Citizens Services Department.

Objective 2: Identify emerging senior minority groups within Frederick County.

Goal: Provide targeted community outreach to benefit seniors.

Objective 1: Identify and invite senior/community leader participation with the Commission.

Objective 2: Encourage the formation and participation of a senior coalition. Objective 3: Serve as a clearinghouse for resources and service availability.

Goal: Foster an inclusive climate that values and promotes diversity.

Objective 1: Identify individuals who may need services

Objective 2: Identify how services can be delivered and offered to individuals within Frederick County.